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**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS SOUTH WEST AREA
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A Certified City of Los Angeles Neighborhood Council

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Planning and Land Use Committee Meeting

February 3rd, 2018

9am to 10:30am

*Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Service Center
8475 S. Vermont Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90044
323-753-7228*

Call to Order/Roll Call

Public Comment

Approval of Minutes from the last full meeting 10/07/2017

Old Business

Follow up on the proposal that was submitted by Ms. Napoleon regarding a letter to Councilman Harris-Dawson regarding the illegal use of the open lot and fencing across the street from the constituent center for retail sales.

New Business

Discussion of the PLUM Committee Role

Adjournment

PLANNING AND LAND USE COMMITTEE
EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS SOUTHWEST AREA NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

Plum Meeting Notes from 10/07/2017

ROLL:

M. Guynn, PLUM Chair

Ms. Napoleon

MAIN TOPIC OF DISCUSSION ON THE AGENDA:

A proposal that was submitted by Ms. Napoleon regarding a letter to Councilman Harris-Dawson regarding the illegal use of the open lot and fencing across the street from the constituent center for retail sales. Action was deferred to the next meeting to for more input from the community.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED AT THE NEXT PLUM MEETING 11/04/2017: (Meeting Cancelled due to lack attendance)

Create Impact Statements addressing the major problems and issues affecting the Community, and major concerns of Constituent's. Need for a strategy and meeting with Dept. of Street Services to create a dialogue to address constituents concerns to facilitate improvements.

Establish a dialogue with Council Members Marques Harris-Dawson's Office to develop an education campaign to inform constituents of issues that affect the Community and District.

Establish priorities to get LAX and the FAA to follow proper guidelines of air space, and provide sound proofing to address Aircraft Issues that are creating noise, vibrations, air pollution, and environmental problems. Constituents must be involved to facilitate the need for intervention by our Federal Representatives.

Submitted by M. Guynn, PLUM Chair -10/07/2017

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